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Dear Honorable Commissioner:

Applicants submit the following documents for filing with the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

- Amendment and Response to Office Action Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 Mailed June 26, 2006; and
- Return receipt postcard.

Please date stamp and return the enclosed postcard evidencing receipt of these materials.

Applicant believes that there are no fees due in association with the filing of this Response. However, should the Commissioner deem that any additional fees are due, including any fees for extensions of time, the Commissioner is authorized to debit the deposit account of Halliburton Energy Services, Inc. No. 08-0300, for any underpayment of fees that may be due in association with this filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111 TO **OFFICE ACTION MAILED JUNE 26, 2006**

Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 26, 2006 (the "Office Action"), Applicant herein provides:

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper; and
- Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.